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Applicant : Masaru ATSUMI

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In response to the Office Action dated September 10, 2003, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Drawings: A substitute sheet of drawing including Figure 4 follows this page.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.



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First Inventor: MASARU ATSUMI
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

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GRAND TOTAL								\$	0.00

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